

MR. C. JEBAMONY NADAR : May I know the probable cost of the scheme ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT : Rs. 75,400.

MR. C. JEBAMONY NADAR : May I know the approximate quantity of storage that can be secured by that scheme ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT : 55 acre feet, enough for 23 acres.

MR. C. JEBAMONY NADAR : Has the Chief Engineer visited the locality ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT : No, Sir.

MR. C. JEBAMONY NADAR : Was the opinion of the Irrigation Committee obtained before the scheme was dropped ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT : No Sir. I have already stated, Sir, that we would have to spend Rs. 75,400 for providing enough water to irrigate 23 acres only.

MR. C. JEBAMONY NADAR : Who was the officer that prepared the estimate ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT : The Divisional Officer, Nagercoil.

A road from Anamalai to M. C. Road.

314 * MR. JOSEPH VITHAYATHIL (*Kunnathad cum Parur*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) whether they have decided to construct a road from Anamalai to the M. C. road ; and

(b) what progress, if any, they have made in the matter ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT : (a) No ;

(b) A preliminary investigation has been made and the matter is under consideration.

The Angamali-Parur road.

315 * MR. JOSEPH VITHAYATHIL : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) whether they have received representations regarding the construction of the second section of the Angamali-Parur road ;

(b) when was the first section completed ; and

(c) what steps, if any, they have taken in the matter.

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT : (a) Yes.

(b) 1935.

(c) A preliminary investigation has been made.

Appointments in Public Service from the Nadar Community.

316 * MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(a) the number of Nadar candidates who have applied for appointments in the scale of Rs. 25 to 40 in the Public Service Department from the date of the operation of the Public Service Recruitment Rules 1111 till 30-4-1113 ;